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TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD TO DETECT THE DISTRIBUTION OF SERVICE TEMPERATURES IN A TECHNOLOGICAL PROCESS

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